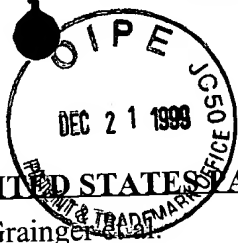


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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 18, 1999, said period of response being extended from November 18, 1999 to December 18, 1999.

Please charge the \$110.00 extension fee and any additional fees deemed necessary to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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